Declaration Regarding Alleged Use Relating to Special Nuclear Matter or Atomic Energy

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That we made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent application Serial Number 09/970,140 filed in the United States of America on 10/03/01 titled Novel Compounds.

That we made and conceived this invention while employed by the UCB Group.

That the invention is related to the work we are employed to perform and was made within the scope of our employment duties;

That the invention was made during working hours and with the use of facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services of the UCB Group.

Other relevant facts are that to the best of our knowledge, the subject matter disclosed and claimed in this patent application is not useful in the production or utilization of special nuclear material or atomic energy.

That to the best of our knowledge and belief based upon information provided by Richard Fisher, Vice-President of Research & Discovery of the UCB Group:

The invention or discovery was not made or conceived in the course of, or in connection with, or under the terms of any contract, subcontract or arrangement entered into with or for the benefit of the United States Atomic Energy Commission or its successors Energy Research and Development Administration or the Department of Energy.

AND

The invention was not made under nor is there any relationship of the invention to the performance of any work under any contract of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

The undersigned inventors declare further that all statements made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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